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**REPLY/AMENDMENT
FEE TRANSMITTAL**

Attorney Docket No.	1081.1103
Application Number	09/759,534
Filing Date	January 16, 2001
First Named Inventor	Hiroshi ISHIZUKA, et al.
Group Art Unit	3625

AMOUNT ENCLOSED	120.00	Examiner Name	Matthew S. Gart
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FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 12/08/04)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	12	- 22 =	0	X \$ 50.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	11	- 15 =	0	X \$ 200.00 =	0.00

Since an Official Action set an original due date of December 27, 2006, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months (\$1,590)); (5 months (\$2,160));

120.00

If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$500.00)

If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$130.00)

Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)

Total of above Calculations =

\$ 120.00

Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)

TOTAL FEES DUE =

\$ 120.00

(1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".

(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".

(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".

(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

METHOD OF PAYMENT

- ☒ Check enclosed as payment.
- ☐ Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.
- ☐ No payment is enclosed.

GENERAL AUTHORIZATION

- ☒ If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:

Deposit Account No.

19-3935

Deposit Account Name

STAAS & HALSEY LLP

- ☒ The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

Typed Name Thomas L. Jones

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Signature

Date

12/29/06

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 3625
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Hiroshi ISHIZUKA, et al.

Serial No. 09/759,534

Group Art Unit: 3625

Confirmation No. 2120

Filed: January 16, 2001

Examiner: Matthew S. Gart

For: COMMODITY RETRIEVAL METHOD

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: **BOX AF**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed September 27, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on December 27, 2006. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to January 27, 2007.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.

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